

REMARKS

Claims 1-8, 10-22, and 24-41 are pending in the application. Claims 24-41 have been withdrawn. By this amendment, Claims 1, 4 and 19 are amended, and Claims 9 and 23 have been canceled. Claims 9-14, 17, and 23 have been objected to.

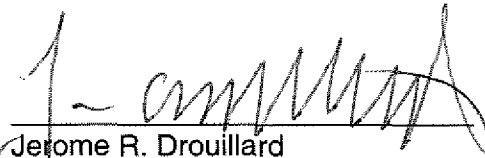
Claim 1 has been amended by incorporating the substance of Claim 9 therein.

Claim 19 has been amended by incorporating the substance of Claim 23 therein.

Claim 4 has been amended to overcome rejection of Claims 4-8 under 35 U.S.C. §112, second paragraph. The dependency of Claim 4 has been changed and the term "direction" has been clarified.

Applicants respectfully submit that with the amendments of Claims 1, 4 and 19, each of the claims currently being considered is now in condition for allowance and should be passed to issue. Such action is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,



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